# Research Analyst Vista Capital Partners

Vista Capital Partners is a leading financial advisor in the Pacific Northwest. Our investment philosophy, standard-setting client service, and engaging work environment has helped us become a career destination for top talent. Vista's core purpose is to build happier and more prosperous lives.

We believe a healthy work/life balance is essential—happy employees provide excellent service to our clients. To elevate the employee experience, we engage in regular team-building exercises, provide time for employees to volunteer in the community, and offer periodic sabbaticals.

Vista's continued growth has created an opportunity for us to add a new Research Analyst to our team of professionals.

# **Duties and Responsibilities**

This position will work closely with our Chief Wealth Officer, Director of Investments and Director of Financial Planning.

The Research Analyst can expect to:

- Serve on both the Financial Planning and Investment Committees.
- Help identify and research relevant financial planning projects.
- Assist Investment Committee with market, fund, and performance-related research.
- Support client service teams with client-ready presentations and deliverables.
- Attend client account review meetings.
- Assist with client experience related projects.
- Identify system, process and research tool improvements and help implement changes.

#### **Core Values**

We will hire the person who best embodies and embraces Vista's core values:

• Act with Integrity

Successful relationships are built on trust.

• Strive for Simplicity

Keeping things simple allows us to focus on what truly matters.

• Be Passionate

An unwavering belief in what we're doing brings out the best in us. Passion inspires and is contagious.

• Demand Excellence

Our clients and colleagues deserve our best effort. Always.

#### • Enjoy the Journey

A fun and flexible work environment allows our people to enjoy happy and fulfilling lives.

### Qualifications

The successful Research Analyst candidate will typically possess the following qualifications:

- Ability to work independently, research issues and present recommendations.
- Strong attention to detail and ability to organize, analyze and present data.
- Minimum 1- 3 years of experience in the financial services industry (internship experience may qualify).
- Strong Excel skills.
- Knowledge of Schwab Institutional, YCharts, Morningstar, and/or DFA Returns is a plus.
- Desire to work towards CFA or CFP certification.
- Bachelor's Degree in Business, Finance, Economics, or related field.

## How to Apply

Interested applicants should send their resumes with a cover letter to: Tana Thomson, <u>tana@vistacp.com</u>. Mailing address is:

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We will contact you if we believe your qualifications meet our needs. Thank you!

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